

## **FISCAL NOTE**

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director


DATE: February 28, 1995

SUBJECT: **SB 1059 - HB 876**

This bill, if enacted, will require persons providing medical care to report the abuse of any adult to the appropriate authorities and to file a written report containing pertinent information regarding the abuse of the adult with those authorities. If the medical personnel suspects a death is the result of spousal abuse, the medical personnel must report this to the medical examiner who must investigate and report the findings to the district attorney general.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in local government expenditures for additional investigations by the medical examiners; however, the amount of such increase cannot be reasonably determined but is estimated not to be significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

  
James A. Davenport, Executive Director

